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AT LUNCHEON ALONE WITH FINANCE MINISTER MWAI KIBAKI ON NOVEMBER 20, AMBASSADOR RAISED SUBJECT OF THREAT BY OPEC TO INCREASE OIL PRICES. DRAWING ON ARGUMENTS PROVIDED REFTELS, AMBASSADOR POINTED OUT WHAT SUCH INCREASE WOULD MEAN SPECIFICALLY FOR WORLD ECONOMY AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES IN PARTICULAR. KIBAKI REPLIED THAT HE WAS ONLY TOO FAMILIAR WITH ECONOMIC RESULTS OF OIL PRICE HIKES. WHEN AMBASSADOR MENTIONED THAT FOUR OAU MEMBERS WERE ALSO MEMBERS OF OPEC (ALGERIA, GABON, LIBERIA, AND NIGERIA) AND WOULD BE ATTENDING DOHA MEETING IN DECEMBER, KIBAKI COMMENTED THAT, UNFORTUNATELY, THESE FOUR ALWAYS TOOK POSITION THAT THEIR INTEREST IN OPEC WAS TOTALLY UNRELATED TO THEIR MEMBERSHIP IN OAU.

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